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BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Application of Salah Oweis, Guy Chagnon, Peter Alunans and
Antonio Romero
"CURRENT COLLECTION THROUGH THE ENDS OF A
SPIRALLY WOUND ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL"
Our Ref: A7398

Dear Sir:

This is a request for a divisional Application of pending prior Application No. 09/071,191 filed May 4, 1998 of Salah Oweis, Guy Chagnon, Peter Alunans and Antonio Romero entitled CURRENT COLLECTION THROUGH THE ENDS OF A SPIRALLY WOUND ELECTROCHEMICAL CELL.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b). Enclosed is a specification, including the claims, informal drawings, a copy of the Declaration as filed in the prior application, and an Information Disclosure Statement.

The prior application is assigned to Group Art Unit 1745.

Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: --This is a divisional of Application No. 09/071,191 filed May 4, 1998, the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference.--
now US Patent 5,972,532

There is no claim to priority.

Please cancel claims 1-25 without prejudice or disclaimer.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows

Total claims	14 - 20	=		x	=	
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